

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

LEATRICE BURGESS-LESTER, as  
Conservator of the Person and  
Estate of BARBARA JEAN LESTER,

Plaintiff,

v.

// CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:06CV43  
(Judge Keeley)

FORD MOTOR COMPANY,  
a Delaware Corporation,

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR CONTINUATION  
OF DEPOSITION FOR DR. JAMES R. MERIKANGAS

During the September 20, 2007 scheduling conference in this case, Ford Motor Company, by counsel, announced its intention to reopen the deposition of Dr. James R. Merikangas to explore 1) his opinion, first disclosed at the August 1, 2007 Daubert hearing, that Barbara Jean Lester met the West Virginia standard for "insanity" as it pertains to the tolling of the statute of limitations under W.Va. Code § 55-2-15; and 2) any opinion he may hold regarding the damages of the plaintiff. The Plaintiff did not oppose the motion.

Finding good cause, the Court **ORDERED** that Defendant may reopen the deposition of Dr. Merikangas for the purpose stated at the hearing.

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The Clerk is directed to transmit copies of this Order to  
counsel of record.

DATED: September 20, 2007.

/s/ Irene M. Keeley  
IRENE M. KEELEY  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE